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TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2055
INFO AMEMBASSY ALGERIA

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SUBJECT REPORT OF EXPLOSION AT ALGERIAN MISSION

1. AT APPROXIMATELY 2:30 P.M. JANUARY 14 EXPLOSION OCCURRED AT
13 EAST 47TH STREET, NEW YORK CITY. INITIAL RADIO REPORTS GAVE
LOCATION AS ALGERIAN MISSION TO UN. REPORT ALSO STATED 4 PERSONS
MISSING, 4 INJURED.

2. SPECULATION QUICKLY SPREAD THAT EXPLOSION WAS TERRORIST ATTACK
ON ALGERIAN MISSION.

3. PRESENT ADDRESS FOR ALGERIAN MISSION IS 750 - 3RD AVENUE. HOW-
EVER, MOVE TO 13 EAST 47TH STREET (SITE OF EXPLOSION) SCHEDULED
FOR MARCH 1, UPON COMPLETION OF RENOVATIONS OF 10-STORY BUILDING
FOR MULTIPLE TENANT OCCUPANCY.

4. REVISED REPORTS, NOW CONFIRMED, INDICATE EXPLOSION WAS INDUSTRIAL
ACCIDENT INVOLVING PROPANE TANKS USED BY WORKMEN. ACCURATE ESTIMATE
OF
CASUALTIES IS FIVE MINOR INJURIES.

5. USUN IN TOUCH WITH ALGERIAN MISSION TO ADVISE THEM OF INDICATIONS
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